

SOCIETY

TALES OUT OF SCHOOL

Honolulu, November 5, 1914.

Dearest Polly:
"Mistress Mary" has had the attention of the society folk this week and every seat in the opera house was taken for the three performances.

We are all busy preparing bundles of clothing for the Christmas ship, which is to sail for Europe soon. And what liberal donations have been made! There is not one old or ragged garment in the lot, for all have been giving of their best. Then, too, financial gifts, and substantial ones, have been made. Honolulu is giving up personal pleasures and donating that money towards the comfort of the sufferers.

A Maui woman suggested a few days ago that every woman in Honolulu forego the pleasure of receiving Christmas gifts and give the money that would otherwise be spent on her towards the fund to relieve the Belgian refugees. It was a noble idea and is being well received. We in Hawaii who have so much can understand only in a measure what our European brothers and sisters are contending with. Though some of the islanders may not have an abundance of worldly wealth there is always warmth and food, for nature supplies the former and of the latter there is always a plenty.

Have you ever noticed, when you have ridden in an elevator, how few of the men bear their heads in the presence of a lady, Polly? This little courtesy has always been one of my hobbies but it is surprising to see the number of men who apparently do not know that it is an almost unapproachable breach to wear a hat in an elevator when a lady is among the passengers. The other day I had occasion to take the lift in one of the big buildings here and when I stepped in at the third floor stop I noticed that one of the occupants was a man whose name is frequently seen in the social columns, and the other a young lady working in the building. Of course when I stepped in the lift I hid my hat, but that evening when I met him at a social affair I refused to dance with him. He wanted a reason and I told him that I considered the little lady who rode in the lift with him that afternoon as much entitled to his respect as I was. He turned on his heel either angry or charmed, I fear I shall never know which.

When you first told me that so many of the buildings in the downtown grounds are being painted a vivid yellow I was at a loss to know the reason, but a scribe in one of the San Francisco papers enlightened me. It is for the purpose of extracting ducts from the unsuspecting traveler, says the writer, that the buildings are to be so decorated, for, as she (I presume it was a woman), all a woman has to do when her husband refuses to buy her a new hat or gown is to wear a yellow tie or waist. And so those in charge of the great fair think that more of their wares will be disposed of if the buildings are painted yellow. It is quite an idea, and the other day I tried it when I wanted the board of directors to raise my salary. When it was time for the meeting I donned a bright yellow shirt, waist and tied a yellow ribbon on my hat. The men were very jolly and very liberal when I suggested that an additional sum be added to my already generous stipend.

Do you know, Polly, that men have the same horror of frogs that women are supposed to have of mice? This was brought to my attention the other day when George Alborn was relating some of the experiences he and Dixon Nott had at the Arthur Wall's Walahole home. It is George's duty, when he is there, to see that the young rabbits and other pets are locked up every night, and for these little trips to the barnyard and rabbit pen he always wears a golf costume. The other night he and Dixon were carefully making their way across the stepping stones, their path lighted by the lantern George carried, when suddenly Hon. George (as Hashimura Togo would say) dropped the light and emitted a blood-curdling yell. In the pitch-darkness he called to Dixon for help, and Dixon thinking that his companion had been hurt groped wildly in the dark, at the same time asking a hundred and one questions as to the cause of the trouble. "It's frogs," cried George in agony, "they're crawling up me." The laugh was on George but he insisted that his experience was not nearly as exciting as that of the genial owner of the country place, who on one of the nightly trips to the animals insisted that a centipede was biting him. Because his clothes were too new to cut he stood ankle deep in the mud awaiting assistance. When finally he picked up his lantern and attempted to free himself from the insect a minute-sized frog croaked at him.

It is high time I stopped writing, Polly, for the "lights-out" signal has come. As ever,

PEGGY.

Miss Lenihan's Engagement Announced.

One of the season's most charming brides-elect is Miss Eleanor Lenihan, the eldest daughter of Maj. and Mrs. Michael J. Lenihan of Fort Shafter. Miss Lenihan's engagement to Lieut. Douglas Greene was announced recently at a dance given by Miss Lenihan and her sister, Catherine. Though no definite date has been announced for the wedding a number of enter-

tainments have been given for the bride-to-be and it is expected that the affair will take place during the early spring.

Military Wedding in San Francisco.

One of the brilliant events of the San Francisco social season will be the wedding on November 18 of Miss Phyllis Capwell and Lieut. Frederick Seydel of Fort Winfield Scott. Miss Capwell is one of the most charming San Francisco society girls and Lieut. Seydel one of the most popular officers at the post. He has a number of friends at the army posts in Honolulu who will be interested to know of the approaching marriage.

Honolulu Society Folk Returned.

Mr. and Mrs. Franz C. Atherton are again at their beautiful home in Manca valley after spending several months of the mainland. The Athertons spent much of their time at Glacier National Park, Montana. Later they visited Mrs. Atherton's mother in Detroit, Michigan, and the last few weeks of their trip were spent on the Pacific coast.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Swanzey Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Swanzey entertained at a prettily appointed dinner on Wednesday evening at their home in College Hills. Delicate flowers decorated the table at which covers were laid for Col. and Mrs. Lyman M. V. Kennon, Mrs. Howell, Miss Murphy, Capt. and Mrs. John R. Thomas, Capt. Harry C. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Swanzey. After dinner the guests motored to the Opera House for the performance of "Mistress Mary," where Mrs. Swanzey had reserved a box.

A Punahou Picnic.

The Outrigger Club was the scene of a jolly picnic yesterday afternoon when the eighth graders of Punahou Academy gathered there for a swim and supper. This has become a yearly function with the scholars and is one of the greatly anticipated events of the first semester. Some of those present were Miss Anna Pratt, Miss Dorothy Peacock, Miss Eunice Shields, Miss Edith Rice, Miss Leilani Chillingworth, Miss Mildred Church, Miss Jessie Baldwin, Miss Muriel Peterson, Miss Elizabeth Wall, Miss Dorothy Hitchcock, Miss Annie Chalmers, Miss Alice McQuaid, Miss Charlotte Pailou, Miss Katherine Derby, Miss Edna Ferguson, Miss Mary Weaver, Miss Ida Nevel, Miss Marjorie Guld, Miss Myra Niel, Miss Virginia Frear, Miss Marie Humphries, Miss Louise Watkins, Fred Bush, Raymond Sheridan, Edna Lindsay, Frederick Clark, Dick Gentry, Douglas Cooke, Alec Paris, Joseph L. Esra Crane, Tyson Noargard, Harold Harvey, Lewers Paris, Murray Johnson, Bryant Cooper, Nelson Newell.

Breakfast at the Outrigger.

Miss Ruth Benedict entertained at an informal breakfast at the Outrigger Club last Sunday morning for about six of her friends.

"Lamb's" Regret Close of Performances.

There were many regrets expressed yesterday among the cast of "Mistress Mary" that the opera was just over instead of just beginning. Perhaps none, however, regretted it more than the little lambs who had evidently succumbed to the lure of the footlights. One of them was overheard to say to his chaperone, "Oh dear, next week we will have to go back to being just plain boys again," with a sigh. "Unless," as a bright thought struck him, "Miss Martin would take us with her as her troupe!" This suggestion started all the boys to planning at once. "Do you think she would take us?" "I am sure my mother would let me go if you telephoned her." And so what had promised to be a dismal half hour after the chowder supper on Wednesday evening over the prospect of the lambs turning into plain boys again, was filled with glowing plans of a delightful tour with Miss Martin to San Francisco, Pearl City, Hilo, New York, Paris and many other places of interest.

Luncheon at the Country Club.

One of the largest functions of the week was the luncheon at which Mrs. James L. McLean was hostess at the Oahu Country Club today in honor of Mrs. W. O. Atwater and her sister, Miss Julia Benner, who are visiting here from Oakland, and in compliment to Miss Bertha Benner, who leaves for the mainland with her sisters on Tuesday. The tables were prettily decorated for the occasion in yellow and green and great yellow chrysanthemums and malabarhair ferns were used to carry out the effect. Covers were laid for Mrs. W. O. Atwater, Miss Julia Benner, Miss Bertha Benner, Mrs. Clarence W. Ashford, Mrs. Raymond Brown, Mrs. G. Fred Bush, Mrs. Charles H. Atherton, Mrs. John McCandless, Mrs. Alfred W. Eames, Jr., Mrs. Greaves, Mrs. James A. Kennedy, Mrs. Frederick J. Lowrey, Mrs. Zeno K. Myers, Mrs. Morrison, Mrs. Edwin Benner, Mrs. W. E. Wall, Mrs. S. B. Rose, Miss Coffee, Mrs. Tietjens and Mrs. McLean.

The Social Science Club.

Mr. L. Tenney Peck was host for the Social Science Club on Monday evening, the members meeting at the Peck's home on Wilder avenue. The lecture of the evening was delivered by Mr. C. Montague Cooke, who spoke of the Palmyra islands, illustrating his talk with stereoscopic views taken on a recent trip of Mr. Cooke to Palmyra.

Society Personals

Dr. W. D. Baldwin was among the passengers returning from Maui this week.

The Manoa sailing for the mainland on Tuesday will take Mrs. W. O. Atwater and Miss Julia Benner, who have been visiting a Honolulu for the past six weeks. Miss Bertha Benner will also leave for Oakland, where she will remain indefinitely.

Since her return to her San Francisco home Mrs. Henry Foster Dutton, who spent several months in Honolulu as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Harry Macfarlane, has been one of the most delightful of the season's hostesses. One of the recent affairs which she and Mr. Dutton gave was a luncheon at the Burlingame Country Club in honor of Duc de Montpensier.

Mrs. Larry B. McAfee, wife of Capt. Larry McAfee, United States Medical Corps, has issued invitations for a bridge tea at Schofield Barracks next Friday afternoon. A number of invitations have been sent to town and it is expected that society folk from Honolulu will motor out to the entertainment.

The monthly meeting of the board of directors of the woman's auxiliary of the Outrigger Canoe Club was held Thursday afternoon at the club. The meeting was satisfactory in every way and it was learned that in spite of the cooler weather the club attendance has not fallen off. The visits registered for October were 1432 and 32 parties, aside from children and nurses. The plans for remodeling the club grounds and bath houses is well under way and actual work will probably begin before the first of the year.

With the many University of California and Stanford graduates in Honolulu there is a keen interest in the great Thanksgiving day rugby game even in the Isles of Peace. With but two weeks before the games the students at both universities are tense with excitement. One of the Honolulu boys now in U. C. wrote of the preparations for the game: "Even though none of the Honolulu boys here are playing on the team we are mightily interested in the outcome and I guess every U. C. graduate in dear old Hawaii will want to see the Alma Mater win out. Only three of the fellows on the team are known in Honolulu, two of them, Ken Hayes and Rudy Ganiel, were there with the baseball team and young Fenstermacher spent the summer there with Erling Hedemann, so he is quite well known. All three of these fellows were ordered to report for the training table, so I guess it's a pretty sure thing that they will play in the game. The Stanford team has not been picked yet, but of course the fellows there expect to win just as we do. It's too bad we can't both take honors."

SCHOFIELD SOCIETY

[Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence]
SCHOFIELD BARRACKS, Nov. 6.—A wave of "parties" has swept over Schofield this past week, beginning with the Tylers' Halloween dance on Saturday evening and the supper given for the players in "Mistress Mary," all of which is very pleasant after the quiet days in which the men were all away at maneuvers.

Monday evening before the hop, Capt. and Mrs. Frank Hopkins and Miss Gertrude Hopkins entertained in honor of Col. McMahon and his daughters, the Misses Carrie and Esther McMahon, by giving a buffet supper. Present were Gen. and Mrs. Clarence Edwards, Col. and Mrs. Lyman Kennon, Col. Samuel Sturges, Capt. and Mrs. Arthur Cassels, Capt. and Mrs. George M. Apple, Capt. and Mrs. Clarence Deems, Lieut. and Mrs. Livingston Watrous, Lieut. and Mrs. Joseph Andrews, the Misses Betty

Pink Lemonade Chorus Is An Attractive Feature Of "Mistress Mary"



One of the most attractive groups in the recent performances of "Mistress Mary" was the "Pink Lemonade Chorus," in which a number of young society girls took part. They danced and sang well and in their picturesque costumes added much to the effect of the final act particularly. Those in the chorus were Misses Chapin, Dorothy Wood, Kathleen Ruttman, Ida Logan, Dorothy Winter, Bernice Kahanamoku, Eola Logan, Charlotte Blake, Sybil Carter, Gertrude Blake. The photograph above, from which some of the members are missing, is by A. R. Gurrey, Jr.

Case, Marion Smith, Ruth Harrison, Harris, Chalmers Hall, Rawson Warren, Harriet Ellis, Mildred Massee, and Dorothy Forsyth, Lieuts. Bowley, Peyton, Palmer, Huntley, Goetz, Capt. Williams and Maj. Guignard.

A week ago last Wednesday Mrs. Henry Lanry and Mrs. Joseph Daly gave a delightful auction party at the Mounted Service Club. The guests were Mesdames Lyman Kennon, Carl Reichmann, William Dobbs, Edward McCleave, Edmund Butts, George Ealley, William Chitty, Frank Burnett, Albert White, Irving Phillipson, Arthur Cassels, William Mapes, Harold Marr, Pelham Glassford, John O'Shea, Jesse Ladd, Ernest Gose, Campbell King, Robert Harbold, Frank Hopkins, John Hunt, William Gardenhire, Harry Wells, James Parker, Livingston Watrous, Rawson Warren, Charles Everitt, Gough, Walter Short, Joseph Siner, Louie Beard, Chalmers Hall, Douglas McCaskey, William Cruickshank, John Jordan, George Apple, Joseph Topham, William Nalle, Waldo Potter, Joseph Andrews, and the Misses Harriet Ellis, Hortense Short, Lila McDonald, Gertrude Hopkins, Ann Carpenter and Marion Smith. At the close of the series of progressions Mrs. Arthur Cassels had the highest score and was given the first prize, a handsome set of luncheon doilies embroidered in the ever popular Madeira designs; Mrs. William Chitty won second prize, a silver bon-bon basket; Mrs. Roger Mason, with third highest score, was given an embroidered tea cloth, and Mrs. James Parker, with low score, was given the consolation, an attractive set of doilies painted on tissue. At the tea table, decorated with a mass of yellow chrysanthemums, Mrs. Lyman Kennon served delicious ices and Mrs. Pelham Glassford poured coffee.

Mrs. Joseph Janda entertained on Monday afternoon with an auction party of eight tables. Playing were Mesdames Harry Wells, Charles Rich, Clarence Deems, George Apple, James Parker, William Gardenhire, Elmer Rice, Walter Short, John Hunt, William Mapes, Pelham Glassford, Frank Hopkins, Frank Burnett, Truby Martin, Edmund Butts, John O'Shea, Holcomb, Charles Baker, William Dadds, Louie Beard, James Higgins, George

On Wednesday evening Capt. and Mrs. Apple gave a dinner in honor of the Misses McMahon. Other guests were Lieut. and Mrs. Dadds, and Lieuts. Bowley and Peyton. Red carnations in a graceful bowl formed the centerpiece of a prettily appointed table.

Col. and Mrs. Kennon were dinner hosts on Tuesday, entertaining for Capt. Childa, Capt. Ballinger and Lieuts. Sankins, Wheeler, Spatz, Milligan, Philson and Denson, all of whom are new arrivals in the 25th Infantry.

Wednesday, Mrs. Charles Everett entertained at auction in honor of her mother, Mrs. Gough of Seattle, who has recently arrived and is to make a visit of some months with Lieut. and Mrs. Everett. Present were Mesdames Frank Hopkins, Joseph Topham, Elmer Rice, George Baker, George Bailey, Chalmers Hall, George Apple, Henry Lanry, Robert Harbold, Henry Fales, Clarence Tinker, Charles Rich, Robert Offley, Walter Short, James Parker, William Mapes, Frank Burnett, Campbell King, Irving Phillipson, Jesse Ladd, William Nalle, Albert White, Harry Wells, Joseph Andrews, Manton Mitchell, John Jordan, Pridgen and Aiken, and the Misses Harriet Ellis, Ann Carpenter, Hortense Short, and Hopkins. Mrs. Pridgen won the first prize, a dainty negligee of pink silk; Miss Ellis won the second, an embroidered "margarite," and Mrs. Lamb won third, an artistic vase. The consolation, in the shape of a pair of embroidered bedroom slippers, was given to Mrs. White.

Lieut. and Mrs. Charles Rich gave an enjoyable buffet supper before the informal hop in the 25th Infantry post on Friday. Their guests were Lieut. and Mrs. Robert Harbold, Capt. and Mrs. William Mapes, the Misses Ann Carpenter, Gertrude Hopkins, Ruth Harrison and Lieuts. Milligan, Spatz, Wheeler and Taylor.

Lieut. and Mrs. Glassford's dinner guests on Saturday were Lieut. and Mrs. Joseph Daly and Mrs. Henry Lanry. Later all the dinner parties met in the Amusement hall, where all enjoyed to the utmost the dainty operetta, "Mistress Mary," and her talented lambskins.

Little Frances Hopkins is just recovering from an attack of appendicitis, which though severe was not long in duration and did not prove serious.

Lieut. Louis McKinlay's guests at dinner on Saturday last were Lieut. and Mrs. Walde Potter, Lieut. Harold Huntly and Lieut. Bernard Peyton.

Mrs. Clarence Tinker has returned to the post after ten days' visit to her mother, Mrs. Doyle, in Honolulu.

Miss Betty Case was the overnight guest of Miss Gertrude Hopkins on Monday.

Many of the players taking part in the pretty pastoral, "Mistress Mary," which was given at Schofield on Saturday, were entertained at supper given by Mrs. Kennon, Mrs. Thomas and Mrs. Edwards.

Mrs. Truby Martin will sail on the Logan on Thursday for an extensive visit of some months at home. She plans to visit Lieut. Martin's relatives at Leavenworth, and her own people at St. Paul, Minn.

Thursday afternoon Mrs. Luther James of the 1st Infantry gave a delightful tea in honor of Lieut. and Mrs. Sumter Bratton, who have recently joined the regiment.

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